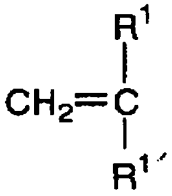
Amendments to the Specification:

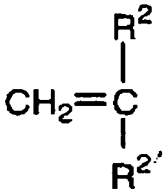
Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 14, line 21, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A first aspect of the invention provides a toner for developing electrostatic images, comprising as a main component thereof a binder resin having a copolymer comprising a combination of a high Tg monomer having a structure represented by the following structural formula (1) and a glass transition temperature of 50°C or higher, a low Tg monomer having a structure represented by the following structural formula (2) and a glass transition temperature of lower than 50°C, and a hydrophilic monomer having a structure represented by the following structural formula (3):

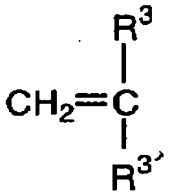
Structural formula (1)



Structural formula (2)



Structural formula (3)



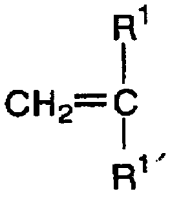
wherein R^1, R^2 and R^3 independently represent a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group, an alkylester group, an alkylether group, a perfluoroalkyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a halogen atom, a carbazole group, a pyrrolidone group, a ~~formal~~ formyl group, a cyclohexyl group, an alkyl group having a functional group, or an alkylester group having a functional group, $R^{1'}$ and $R^{2'}$ independently represent an alkyl group, an alkylester group, an alkylether group, a perfluoroalkyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a halogen atom, a carbazole group, a pyrrolidone group, a ~~formal~~ formyl group, a cyclohexyl group, an alkyl group having

a functional group, or an alkylester group having a functional group, and $R^{3'}$ represents a hydrophilic group.

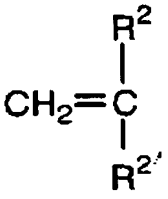
Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 16, line 19, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A toner for developing electrostatic images of the present invention comprises as a main component thereof a binder resin having a copolymer comprised of a combination of a high Tg monomer having a structure represented by the following structural formula (1) and a glass transition temperature of 50°C or higher, a low Tg monomer having a structure represented by the following structural formula (2) and a glass transition temperature of lower than 50°C, and a hydrophilic monomer having a structure represented by the following structural formula (3).

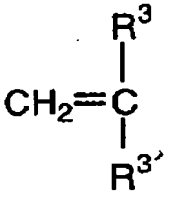
Structural formula (1)



Structural formula (2)



Structural formula (3)



wherein R^1, R^2 and R^3 independently represent a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group, an alkylester group, an alkylether group, a perfluoroalkyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a halogen atom, a carbazole group, a pyrrolidone group, a ~~formal~~ formyl group, a cyclohexyl group, an alkyl group having a functional group, or an alkylester group having a functional group, $R^{1'}$ and $R^{2'}$ independently represent an alkyl group, an alkylester group, an alkylether group, a perfluoroalkyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a halogen atom, a carbazole group, a pyrrolidone group, a ~~formal~~ formyl group, a cyclohexyl group, an alkyl group having

a functional group, or an alkylester group having a functional group, and $R^{3'}$ represents a hydrophilic group.